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 Application No.: 10/711,236

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT APPLICATION of

Applicant : Tang et al.
 Application No. : 10/711,236
 Filed : September 3, 2004
 For : APPARATUS AND METHOD OF MEASURING
 WASTEWATER CONCENTRATION FOR DETERMINING
 DISCHARGE RATE

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Thank you for your assistance in the subject matter. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

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